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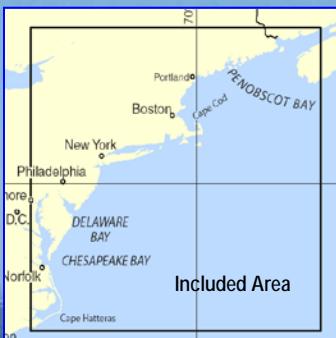
Cape Sable to Cape Hatteras

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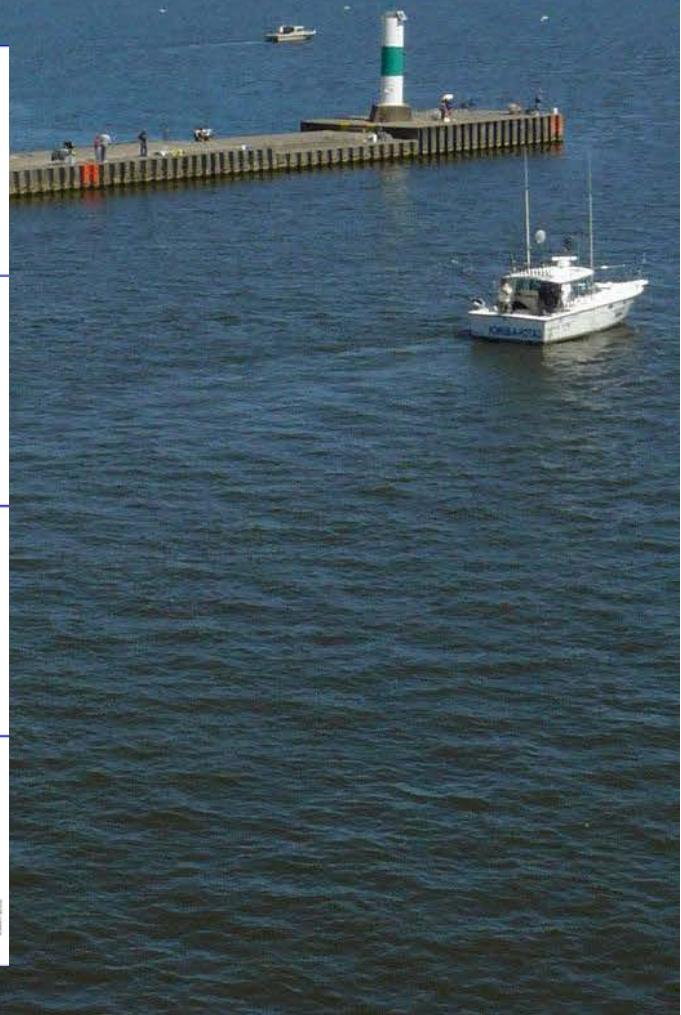
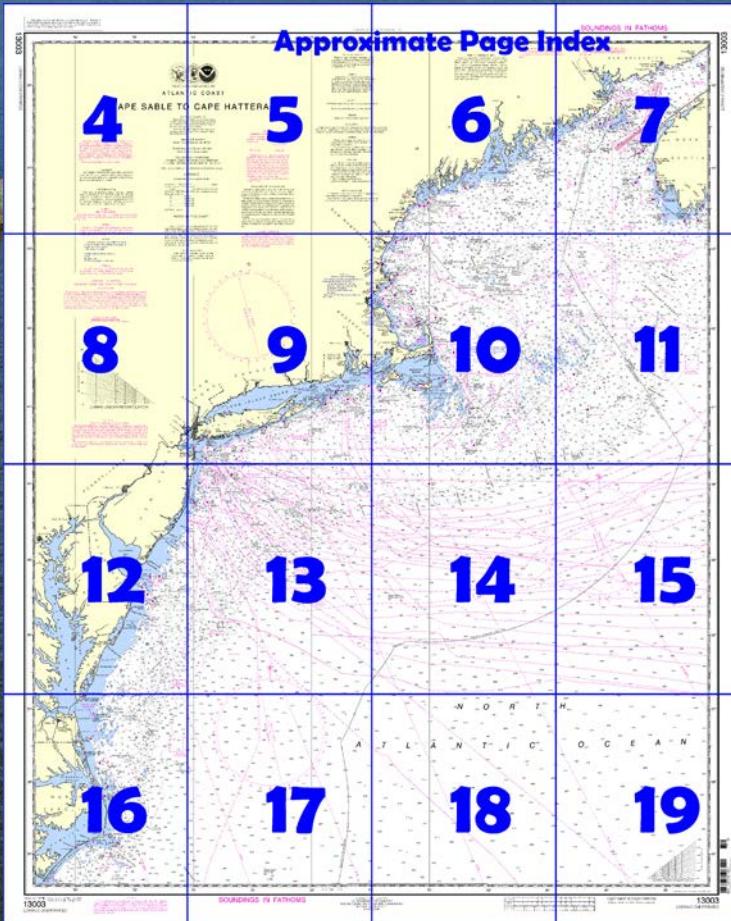


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What are Nautical Charts?

Nautical charts are a fundamental tool of marine navigation. They show water depths, obstructions, buoys, other aids to navigation, and much more. The information is shown in a way that promotes safe and efficient navigation. Chart carriage is mandatory on the commercial ships that carry America's commerce. They are also used on every Navy and Coast Guard ship, fishing and passenger vessels, and are widely carried by recreational boaters.

What is a BookletChart™?

This BookletChart is made to help recreational boaters locate themselves on the water. It has been reduced in scale for convenience, but otherwise contains all the information of the full-scale nautical chart. The bar scales have also been reduced, and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart. See the Note at the bottom of page 5 for the reduction in scale applied to this chart.

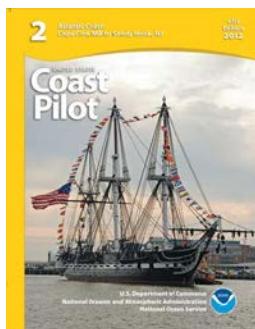
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This BookletChart does NOT fulfill chart carriage requirements for regulated commercial vessels under Titles 33 and 44 of the Code of Federal Regulations.

Notice to Mariners Correction Status

This BookletChart has been updated for chart corrections published in the U.S. Coast Guard Local Notice to Mariners, the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency Weekly Notice to Mariners, and, where applicable, the Canadian Coast Guard Notice to Mariners. Additional chart corrections have been made by NOAA in advance of their publication in a Notice to Mariners. The last Notices to Mariners applied to this chart are listed in the Note at the bottom of page 7. Coast Pilot excerpts are not being corrected.

For latest Coast Pilot excerpt visit the Office of Coast Survey website at http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/coastpilot_w.php?book=2.



(Selected Excerpts from Coast Pilot)
The coasts of **Maine**, **New Hampshire**, and part of **Massachusetts** lie between **West Quoddy Head** in Maine and **Provincetown** in Massachusetts. Most of the Maine coast is irregular, rocky, and bold with numerous islands, bays, rivers, and coves. There are numerous fishing villages and towns along the Maine coast which are frequented by tourists during the summer months. The primary deep-draft ports in Maine are at **Eastport**, **Searsport** and **Portland**. The more densely populated coasts of New Hampshire and Massachusetts have numerous sandy beaches and fewer of the islands, bays, and coves which characterize the Maine coast. Major ports are at **Portsmouth**, NH and **Boston**, MA.

The **Gulf of Maine** is the great indentation of the coast between the Canadian Province of Nova Scotia on the northeast and Massachusetts on the southwest. It includes the **Bay of Fundy** and **Massachusetts Bay** as subsidiary features. Because of its changeable weather, frequent fogs, and strong tidal currents, this area has a bad reputation among mariners.

The Atlantic coast from **Cape Cod** to **Sandy Hook** embraces part of the coast of Massachusetts and all of the coasts of **Rhode Island**, **Connecticut**, and **New York**. To the mariner this area presents problems of unusual difficulty because of the off-lying shoals, strong and variable currents, large amounts of fog, and turbulence of wind and sea in the great storms that so frequently sweep it. Additionally, the mariner is faced with the great volume of waterborne traffic that moves through the area to and from the Port of New York.

Anchorages.—There are numerous anchorages in **Nantucket** and **Vineyard Sounds**, **Buzzards**, **Narragansett**, and **Gardiners Bays**, and **Long Island Sound**, where vessels with good ground tackle can ride out any gale. Between Cape Cod and Sandy Hook, the more important harbors, either commercially or as harbors of refuge, are **New Bedford**, **Newport**, **Providence**, **New London**, **New Haven**, and **Bridgeport** on the mainland, **Greenport** and **Port Jefferson** on **Long Island**, **City Island**, **New York**, and vast **New York Harbor**. (See Part 110, chapter 2, for limits and regulations.)

Dangers.—The most important dangers confronting the navigator when approaching the area are the great banks and shoals in the eastern approach. The remainder of the isolated dangers throughout the area and in the approaches to the harbors are marked and charted.

Between **New York Bay** and **Delaware Bay** is the **New Jersey** coast with its many resorts, its inlets, and its Intracoastal Waterway. Delaware Bay is the approach to **Wilmington**, **Chester**, **Philadelphia**, **Camden**, and **Trenton**; below Wilmington is the **Delaware River** entrance to the **Chesapeake and Delaware Canal**, the deep inside link between **Chesapeake and Delaware Bays**. The **Delaware-Maryland-Virginia** coast has relatively few resorts; the numerous inlets are backed by a shallow inside passage.

Anchorages.—The only protected anchorage for deep-draft vessels between New York Bay and Chesapeake Bay is outside the channel limits in Delaware Bay according to draft. **Absecon Inlet**, **Cape May Inlet**, and some of the others can accommodate light-draft vessels such as trawlers and small yachts, but not medium or deep drafts. Small local craft often seek shelter inside the shallower inlets, but entrance is difficult in heavy weather, and the unimproved inlets are often difficult even in good weather, particularly for strangers.

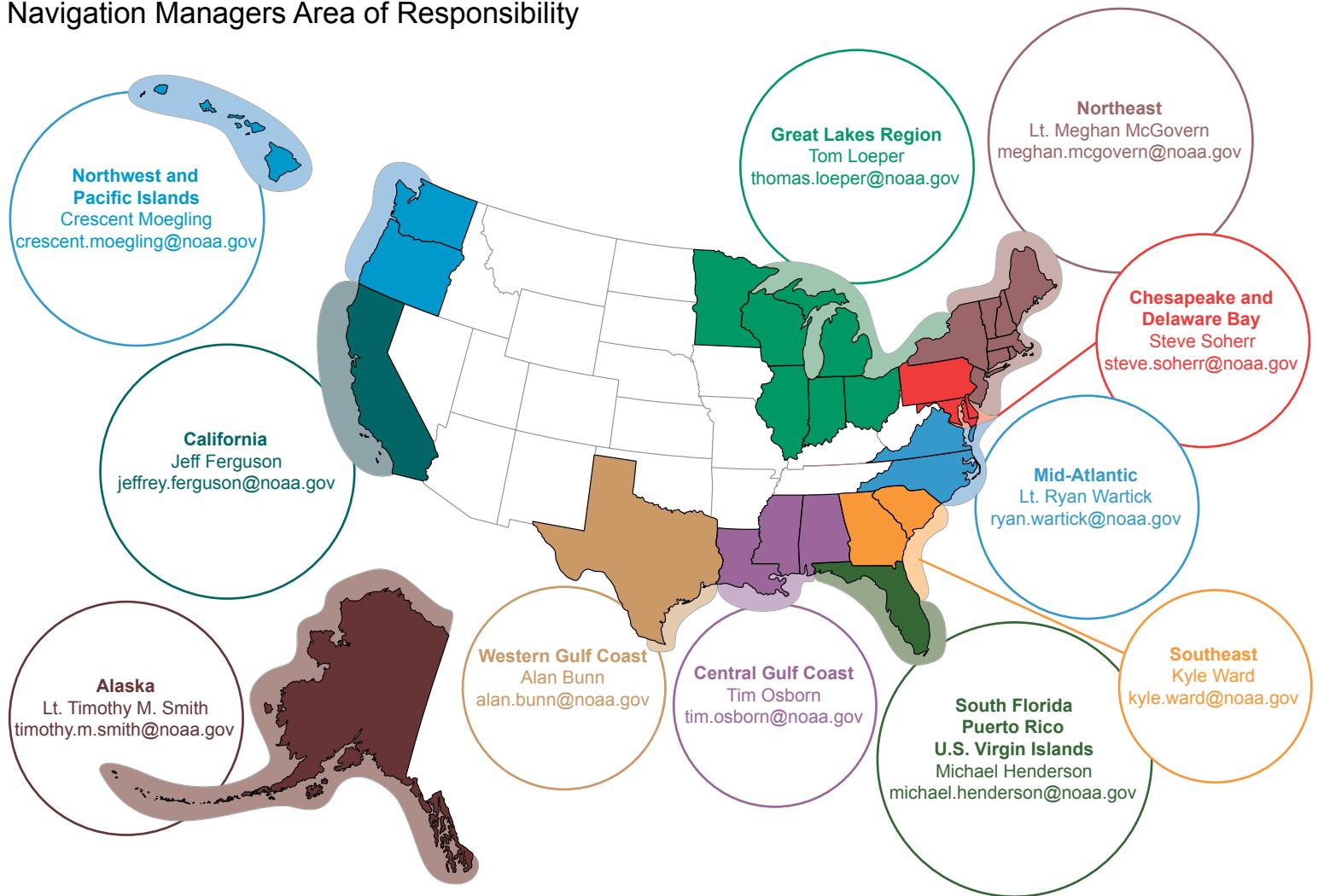
Dangers.—The principal dangers along this coast are the outlying sand shoals, the fogs, and the doubtful direction and velocity of the currents after heavy gales. Depths of 7.5 fathoms are found as far as 20 miles from shore. There are many wrecks along this coast, but most of them have been blasted off or cleared to safe navigational depths; the others are marked by obstruction buoys.

Gales from northeast to southeast cause heavy breakers on the beaches and outlying shoals; the sea breaks in 4 to 5 fathoms of water, and shoals of that depth or less usually are marked during easterly gales. The bars across the inlets are then impassable and are defined by breakers even in comparatively smooth water with a light swell. The heaviest surf on the beach is on a rising tide near high-water springs; the least surf is encountered on a falling tide near low water.

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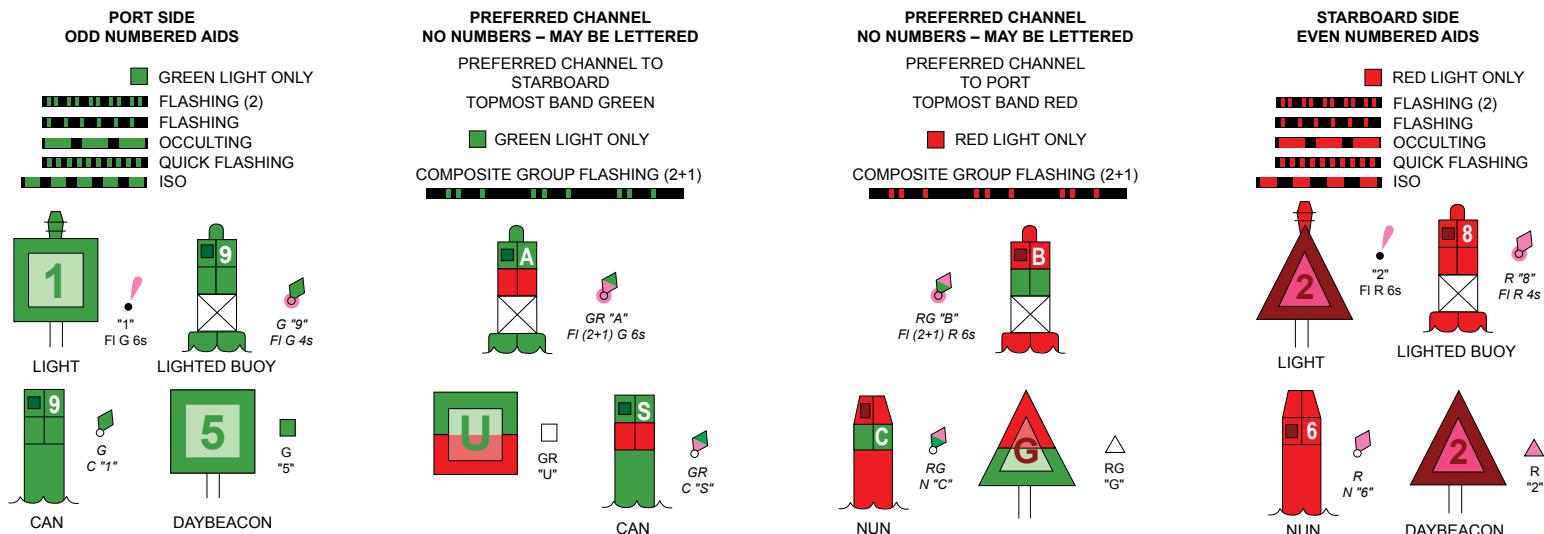
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Lateral System As Seen Entering From Seaward

on navigable waters except Western Rivers



For more information on aids to navigation, including those on Western Rivers, please consult the latest USCG Light List for your area. These volumes are available online at <http://www.navcen.uscg.gov>

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THE NATION'S CHARTMAKER SINCE 1807

ATLANTIC COAST

CAPE SABLE TO CAPE HABLA

For offshore navigation only

Detail within the 10 fathom curve is not shown on this chart except on off lying shoals and where the 10 fathom curve extends beyond the limits of the 1:80,000 scale series of charts.

Use the 1:80,000 scale series charts and Canadian charts for near-shore navigation within the 10 fathom curve.

Mercator Projection

Mercator Projection
Scale 1:1,200,000 at Lat. 40°00'

North American Datum of 1983
(World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS
AT MEAN LOWER LOW WATER IN U.S. TERRITORY
AT LOWEST NORMAL TIDES IN CANADIAN TERRITORY

WEIGHTS

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RADAR REFLECTORS

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Tools and Abbreviations see Chart No. 1

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RADAR REFLECTORS

CAUTION

Temporary changes or defects in aids to navigation are not indicated on this chart. See Local Notice to Mariners.

Local Notice to Mariners:
During some winter months or when endangered by ice, certain aids to navigation are replaced by other types or removed. For details see U.S. Coast Guard Light List.

The chart features a grid of latitude and longitude lines. Latitude lines are labeled at 43°, 44°, and 45°. Longitude lines are labeled at 74°, 75°, and 76°. In the top right corner, there is a cluster of three circular logos: the U.S. Coast Survey logo, the U.S. Geological Survey logo, and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) logo. Below these logos, the text "THE NATION'S CHARTMAKER SINCE 1807" is printed. The title "ATLANTIC COAST" is centered above "CAPE SABLE TO CAPE HATTERAS".

NOTE A
Navigation regulations are published in Chapter 2, U.S. Coast Pilots 1, 2, 3 and 4. Additions or revisions to Chapter 2 are published in the Notice to Mariners. Information concerning the regulations may be obtained at the Office of the Commander, 1st Coast Guard District in Boston, Mass. or the 5th Coast Guard District in Portsmouth, VA or at the Offices of the District Engineer Corps of Engineers in Concord, Mass., New York, NY, Philadelphia, PA, Norfolk, VA, or Wilmington NC.
Refer to charted regulation section numbers.

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HORIZONTAL DATUM
The horizontal reference datum of this chart is North American Datum of 1983 (NAD 83), which for charting purposes is considered equivalent to the World Geodetic System of 1984 (WGS 84). Geographic positions referred to the North American Datum of 1927 do not require conversion to NAD 83 for plotting on this chart.

**NOTE C
AREA TO BE AVOIDED**
All vessels carrying cargoes of oil or hazardous materials and all other vessels of more than 1,000 gross tons should avoid the area (MSC IMO XLIII/18).

NOTE D
Trawlers or other vessels should exercise caution while dragging the ocean floor within a 6.7 mile radius of Isles of Shoals Light since it is known that JATO racks and associated debris exist in the area.

NOTE E
Anchoring, fishing, or diving within the boundary of the Monitor National Marine Sanctuary is prohibited without a permit.
For information write:

Monitor National Marine Sanctuary
NOAA
Building 1519
Fort Eustis, Virginia, 23604-5544

WARNING
The prudent mariner will not rely solely on any single aid to navigation, particularly on floating aids. See U.S. Coast Guard Light List and U.S. Coast Pilot for details.

CURRENT DIAGRAM
GEORGES BANK AND NANT
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Mercator Projection
Scale 1:1,200,000 at Lat. 40°00'

North American Datum of 1983
(World Geodetic System 1984)

SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS
AT MEAN LOWER LOW WATER IN U.S. TERRITORY
AT LOWEST NORMAL TIDES IN CANADIAN TERRITORY

HEIGHTS
Heights in feet above Mean High Water.

AUTHORITIES
Compiled principally from larger scale charts issued by the National Ocean Service, Coast Survey, supplemented by information from charts of the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency and Canada, and additional data from the U.S. Coast Guard.

FOR SYMBOLS AND ABBREVIATIONS see Chart No. 1

Additional information can be obtained at nauticalcharts.noaa.gov.

RADAR REFLECTORS
Radar reflectors have been placed on many floating aids to navigation. Individual radar reflector identification on these aids has been omitted from this chart.

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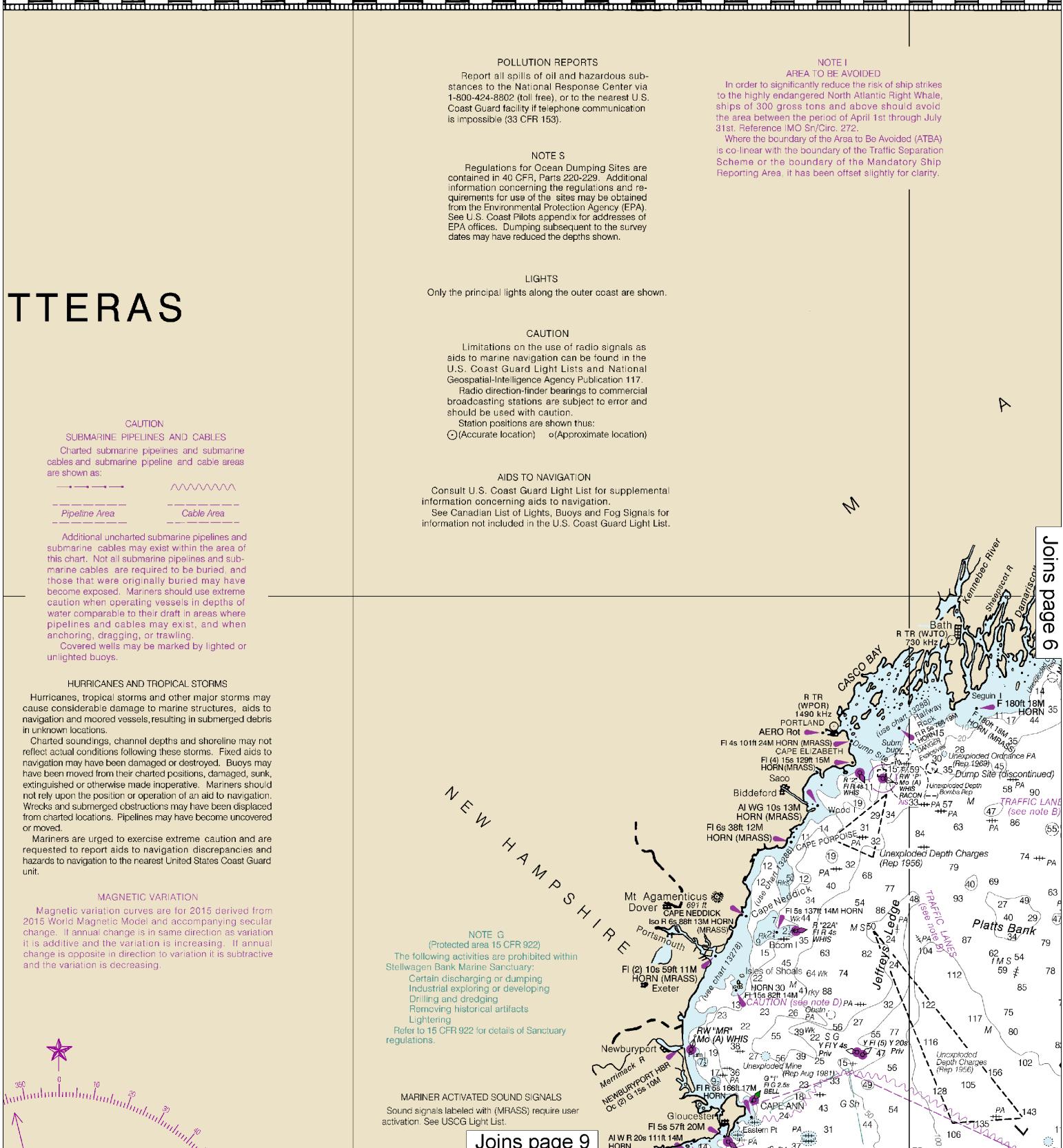
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The new scale is 1:1600000. Barscales have also been reduced and are accurate when used to measure distances in this BookletChart.

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POLLUTION REPORTS

Report all spills of oil and hazardous substances to the National Response Center via 1-800-424-8802 (toll free), or to the nearest U.S. Coast Guard facility if telephone communication is impossible (33 CFR 153).

NOTE S

Regulations for Ocean Dumping Sites are contained in 46 CFR, Parts 220-229. Additional information concerning the regulations and requirements for use of the sites may be obtained from the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA). See U.S. Coast Pilots appendix for addresses of EPA offices. Dumping subsequent to the survey dates may have reduced the depths shown.

LIGHTS

Only the principal lights along the outer coast are shown.

CAUTION

Limitations on the use of radio signals as aids to marine navigation can be found in the U.S. Coast Guard Light Lists and National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency Publication 117.

Radio direction-finder bearings to commercial broadcasting stations are subject to error and should be used with caution.

Station positions are shown thus:

(Accurate location) (Approximate location)

AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Consult U.S. Coast Guard Light List for supplemental information concerning aids to navigation.

See Canadian List of Lights, Buoys and Fog Signals for information not included in the U.S. Coast Guard Light List.

**NOTE I
AREA TO BE AVOIDED**

In order to significantly reduce the risk of ship strikes to the highly endangered North Atlantic Right Whale, ships of 300 gross tons and above should avoid the area between the period of April 1st through July 31st. Reference IMO Sn/Circ. 272.

Where the boundary of the Area to Be Avoided (ATBA) is co-linear with the boundary of the Traffic Separation Scheme or the boundary of the Mandatory Ship Reporting Area, it has been offset slightly for clarity.

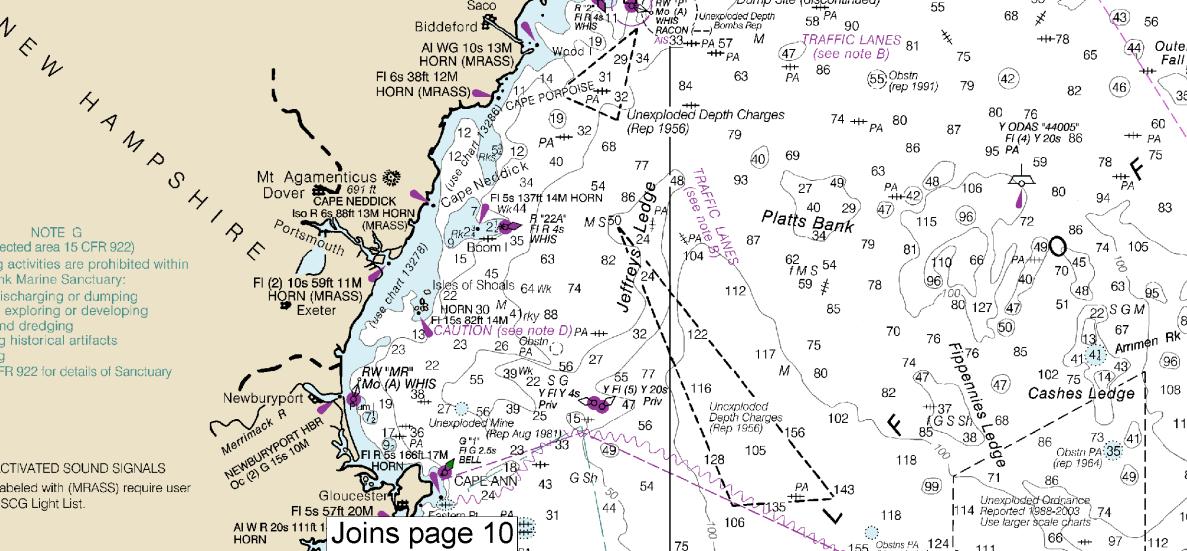
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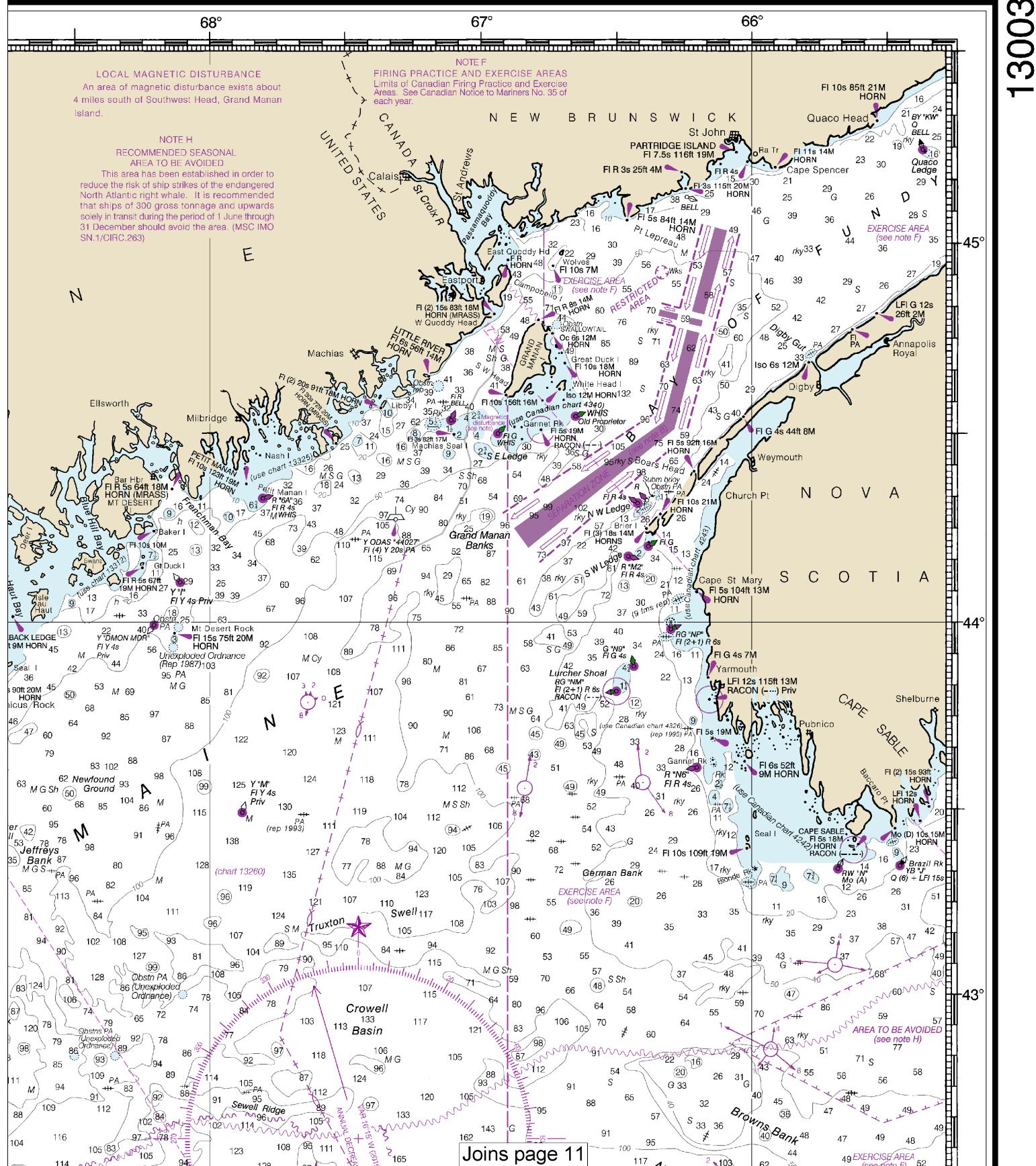
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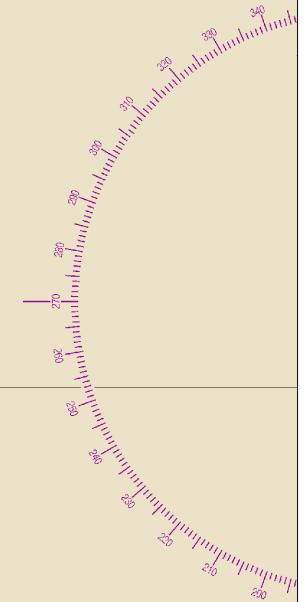
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CURRENT DIAGRAM
GEORGES BANK AND NANTUCKET SHOALS

Explanation

Directions and velocities of tidal currents at eighteen stations are shown by arrows. The length of the arrow from the center of the circle represents the average velocity on a scale of one inch equals three knots. The figures at the arrow heads are the hours after the time of maximum flood at Pollock Rip Channel, the daily predicted times of which are given in the National Ocean Service Atlantic Coast Current Tables. The velocities plotted should be increased by 20 percent when the moon is full or new and decreased by 20 percent when the moon is in first or third quarters. For effect of wind and tidal currents, see Current Tables, Atlantic Coast.



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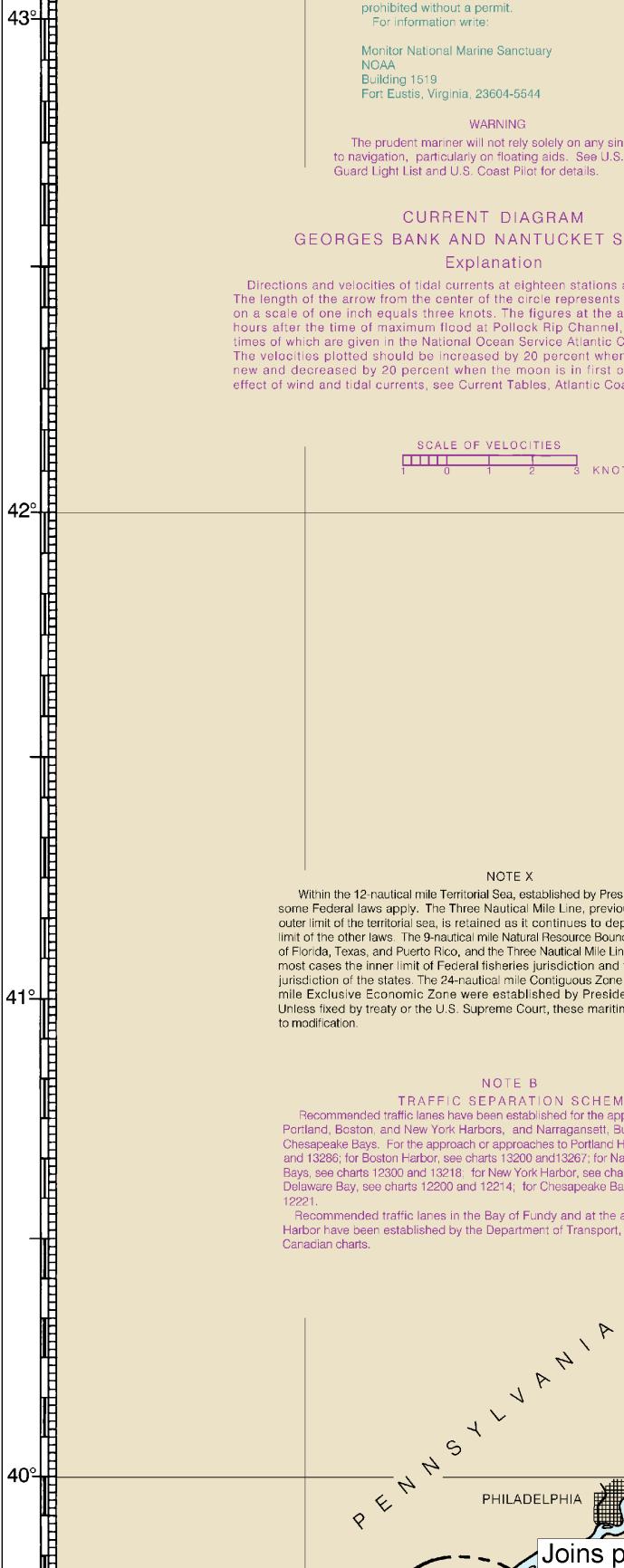
Within the 12-nautical mile Territorial Sea, established by Presidential Proclamation, some Federal laws apply. The Three Nautical Mile Line, previously identified as the outer limit of the territorial sea, is retained as it continues to depict the jurisdictional limit of the other laws. The 9-nautical mile Natural Resource Boundary off the Gulf coast of Florida, Texas, and Puerto Rico, and the Three Nautical Mile Line elsewhere remain in most cases the inner limit of Federal fisheries jurisdiction and the outer limit of the jurisdiction of the states. The 24-nautical mile Contiguous Zone and the 200-nautical mile Exclusive Economic Zone were established by Presidential Proclamation. Unless fixed by treaty or the U.S. Supreme Court, these maritime limits are subject to modification.

NOTE B

TRAFFIC SEPARATION SCHEME

Recommended traffic lanes have been established for the approach or approaches to Portland, Boston, and New York Harbors, and Narragansett, Buzzards, Delaware, and Chesapeake Bays. For the approach or approaches to Portland Harbor, see Charts 13260 and 13286; for Boston Harbor, see charts 13200 and 13267; for Narragansett and Buzzards Bays, see charts 12300 and 13218; for New York Harbor, see charts 12300 and 13236; for Delaware Bay, see charts 12200 and 12214; for Chesapeake Bay, see charts 12200 and 12221.

Recommended traffic lanes in the Bay of Fundy and at the approach to Saint John Harbor have been established by the Department of Transport, Canada. See large scale Canadian charts.

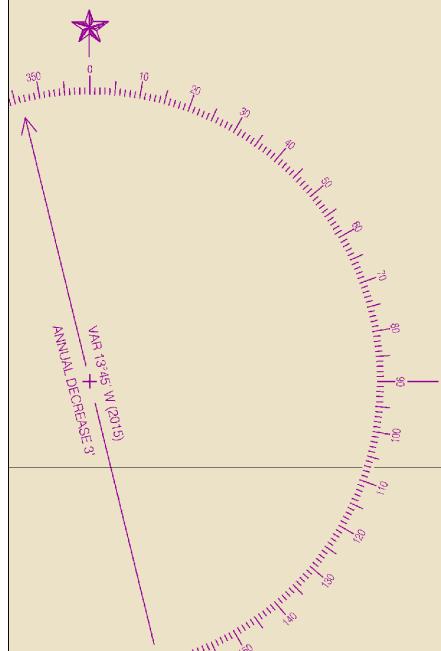


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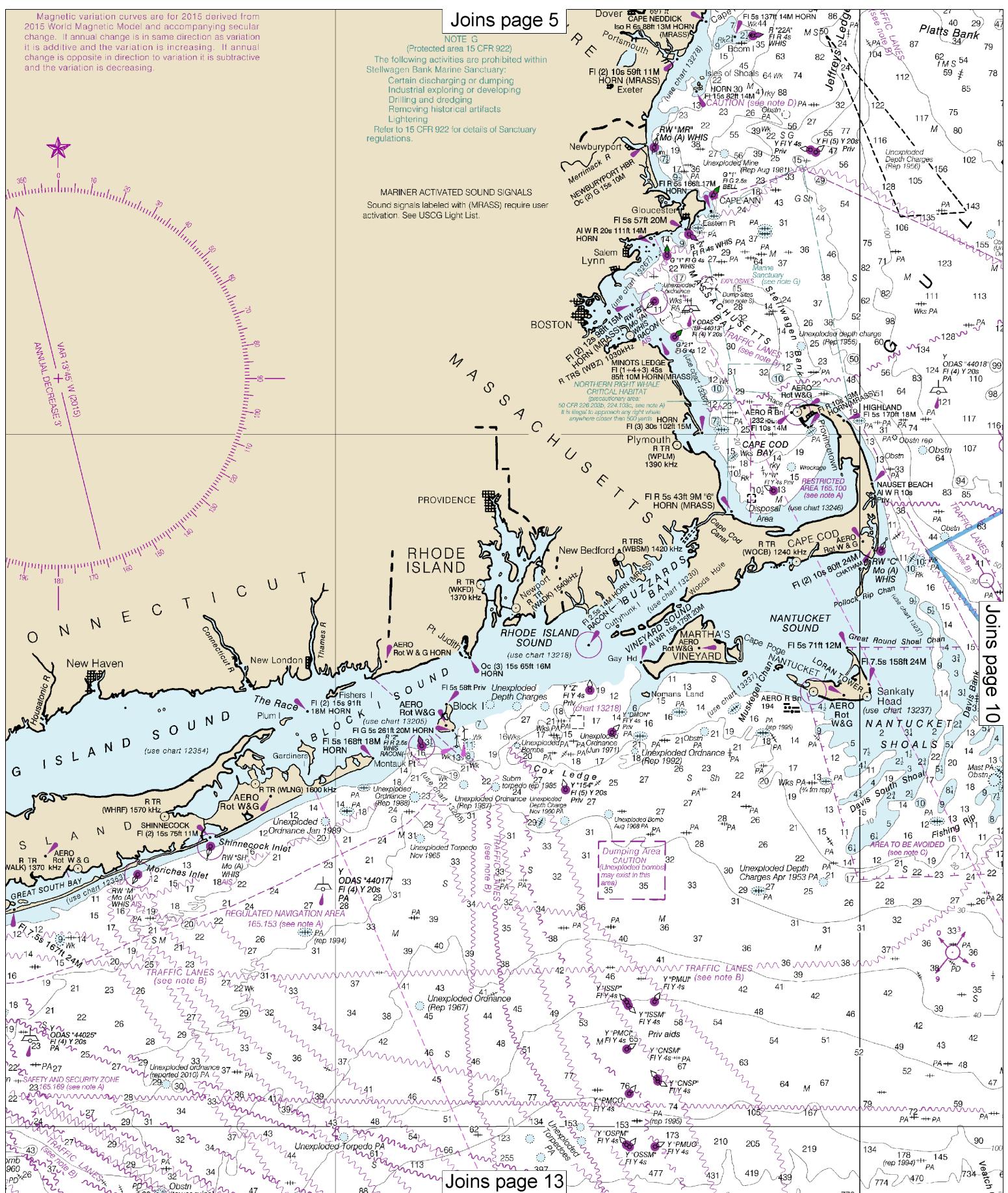
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NOTE G (Protected area 15 CFR 922)

The following activities are prohibited within Stellwagen Bank Marine Sanctuary:
Certain discharging or dumping
Industrial exploring or developing
Drilling and dredging
Removing historical artifacts
Lightering
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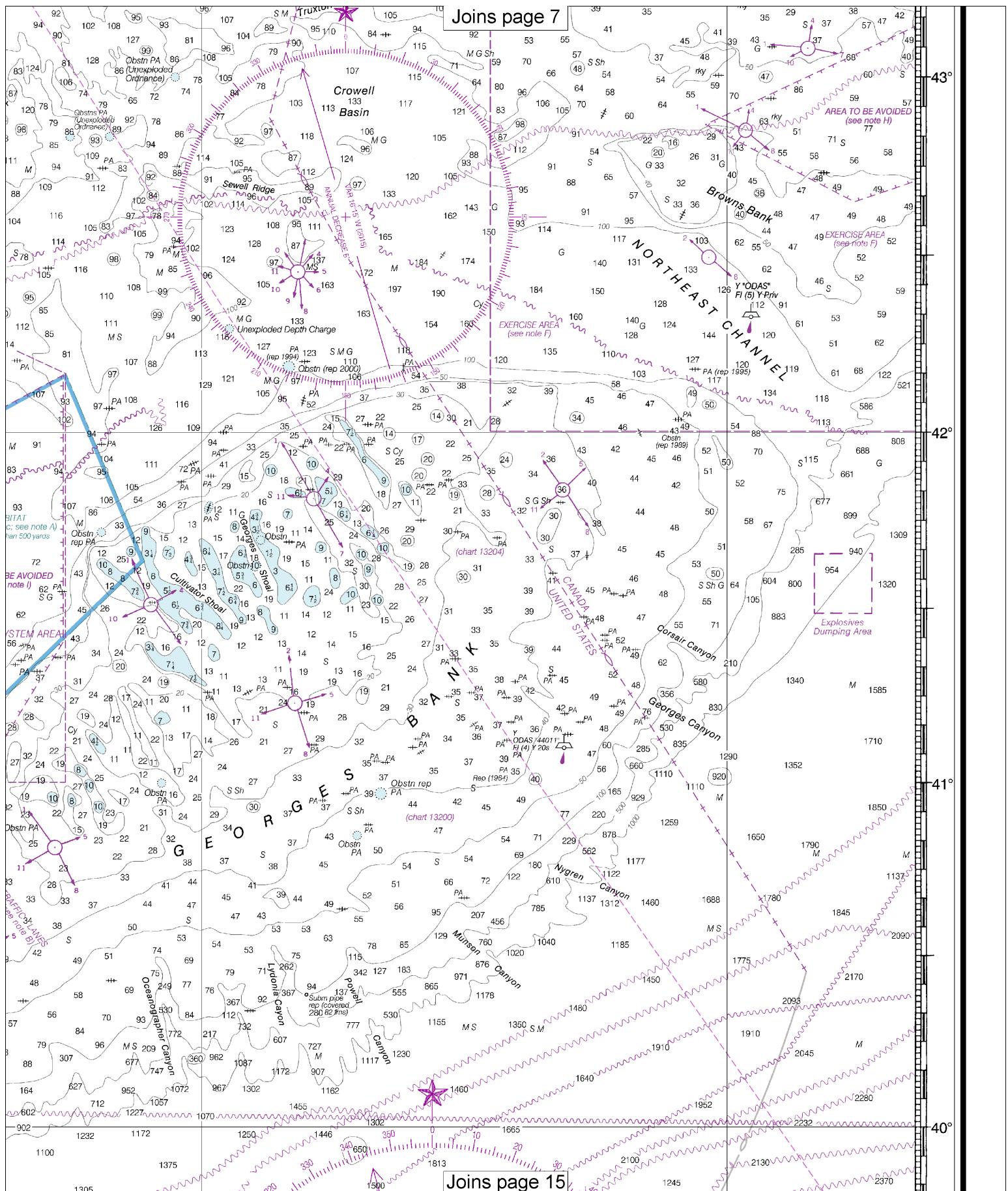
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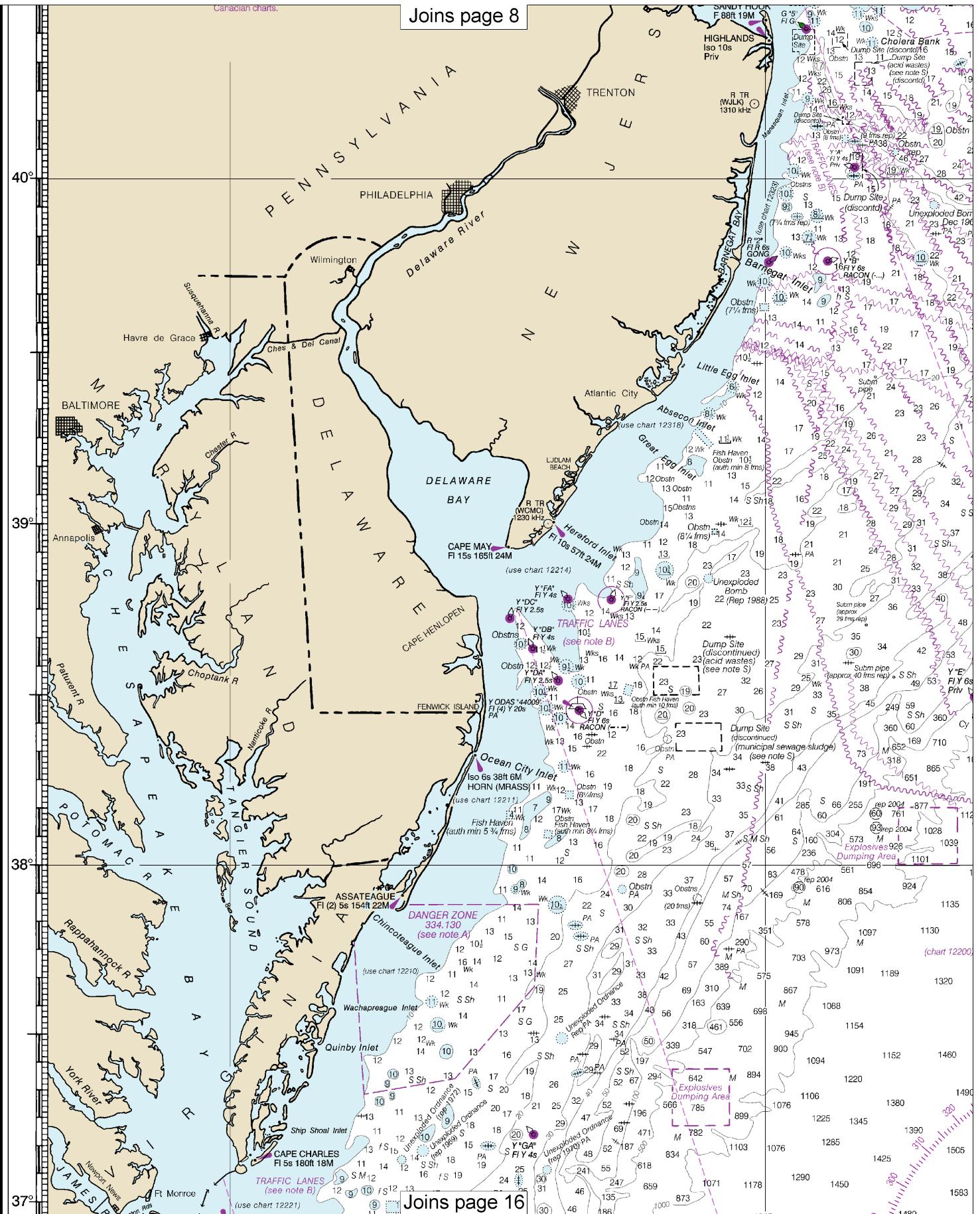
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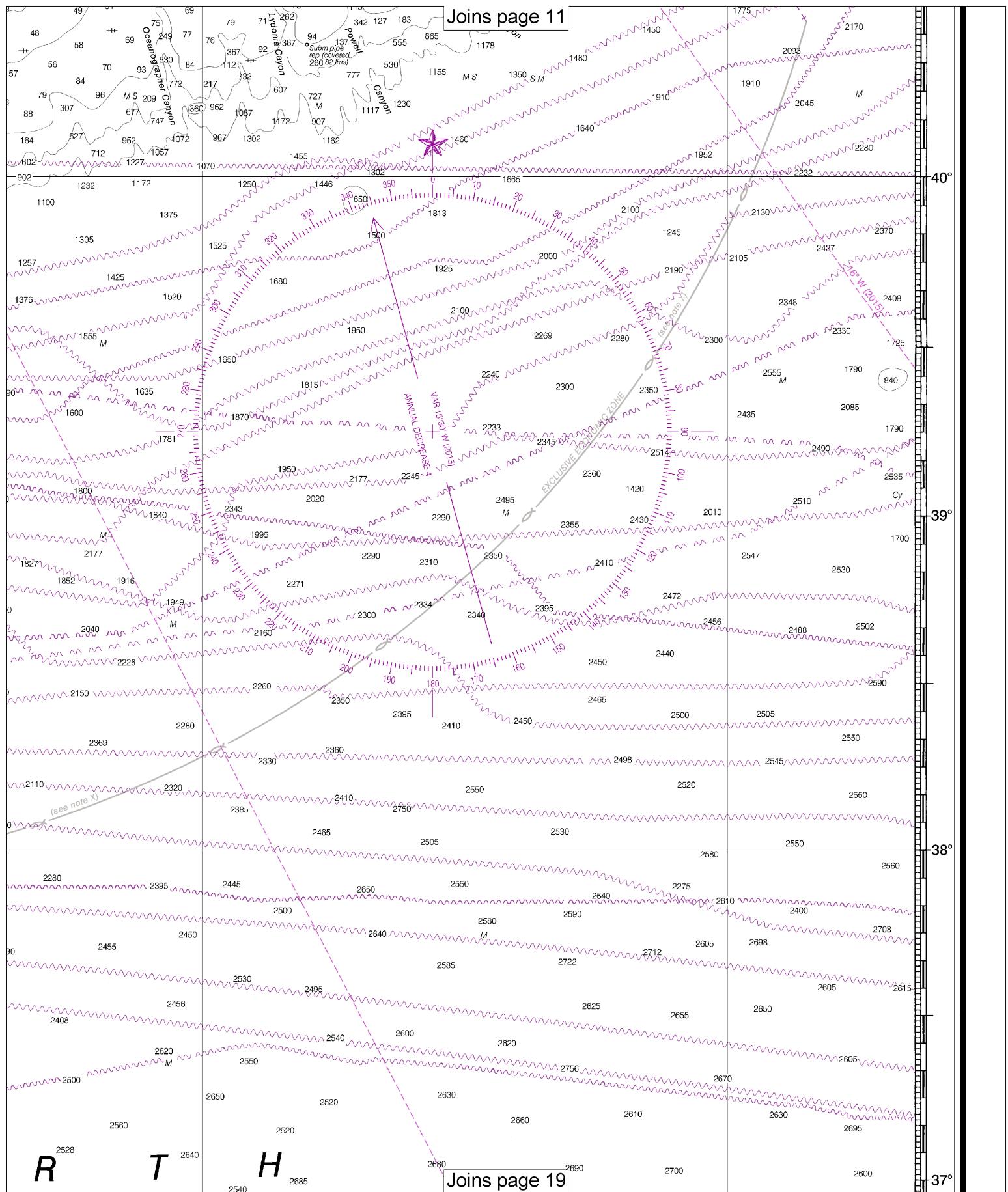
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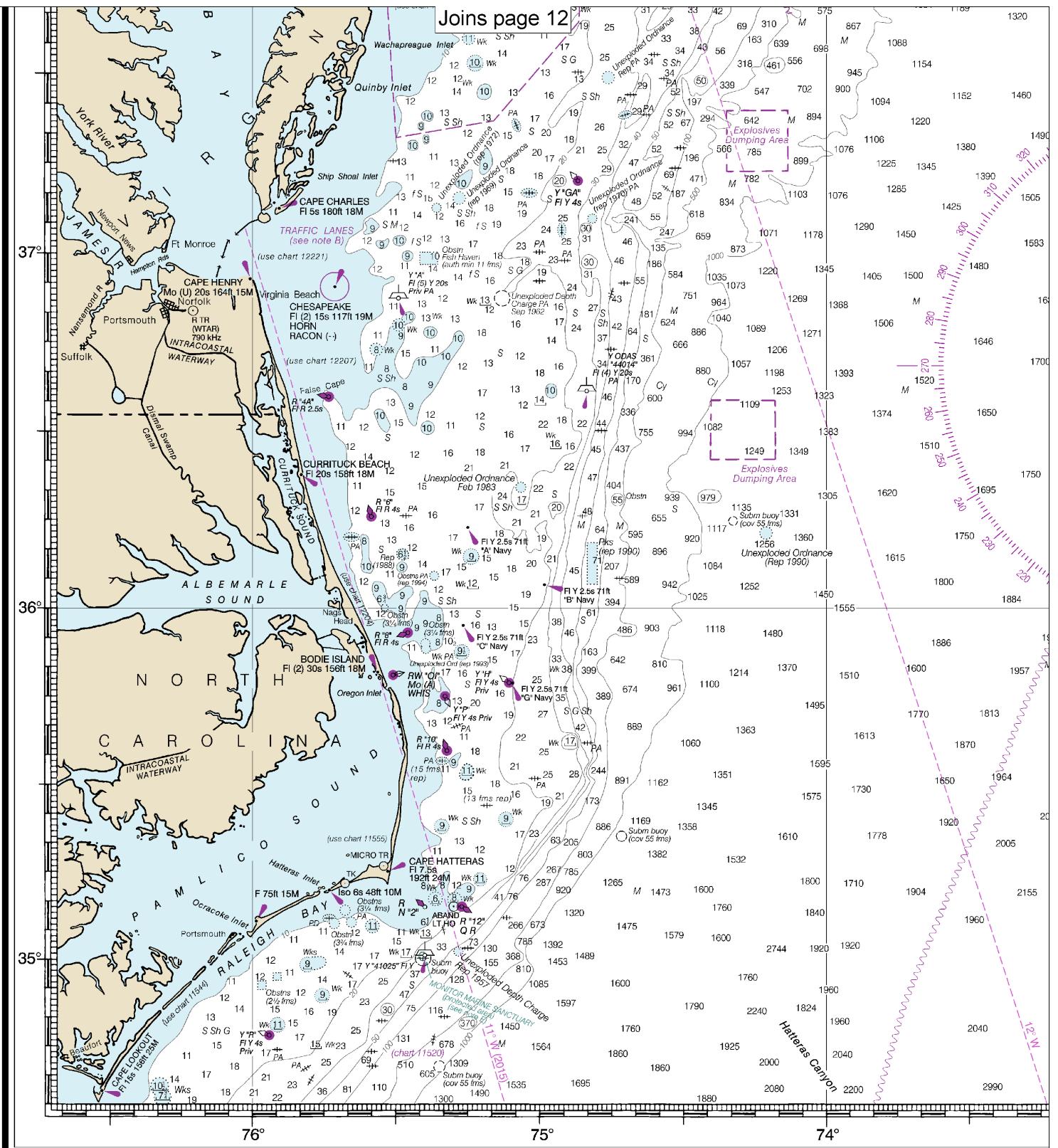
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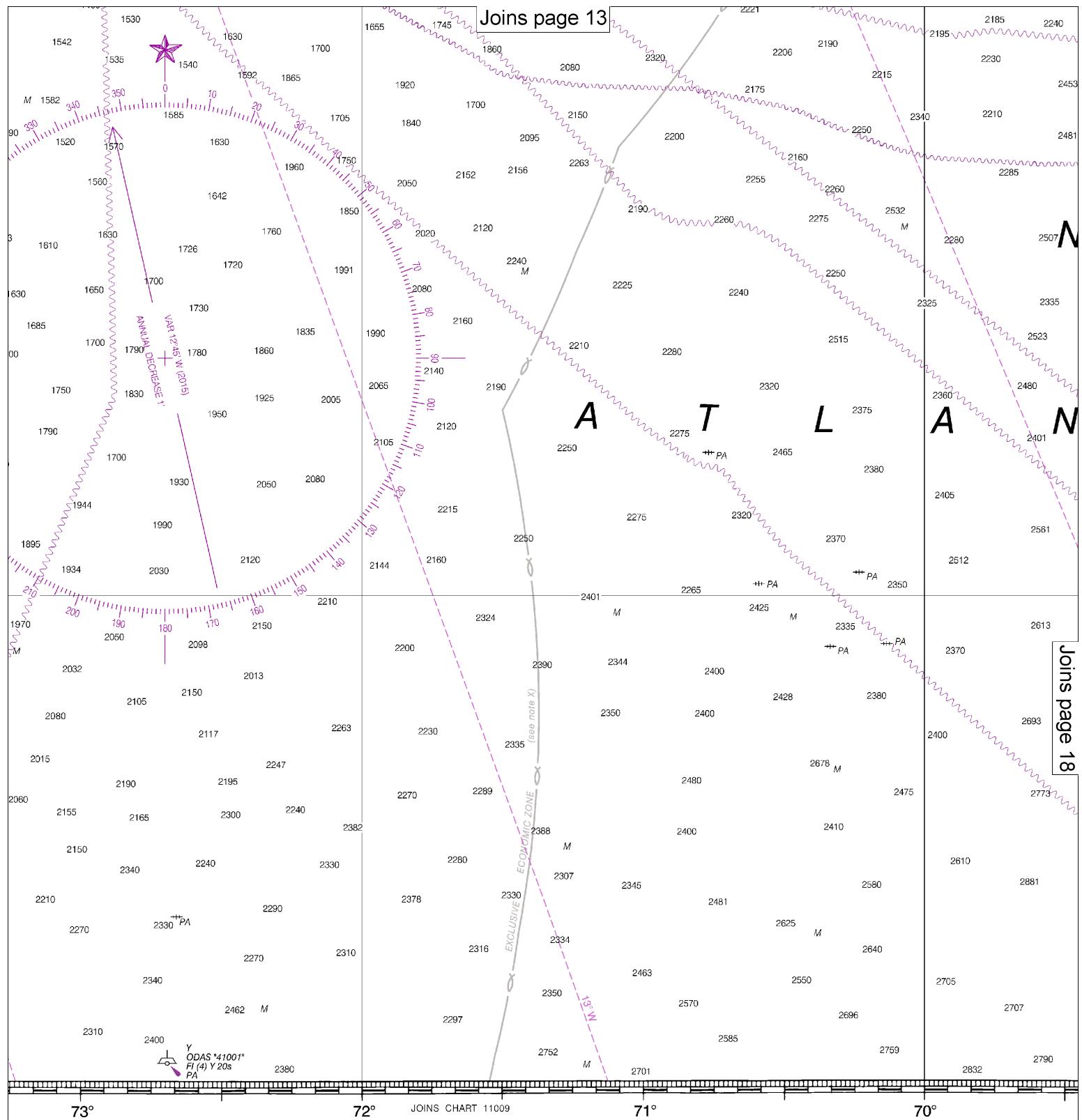
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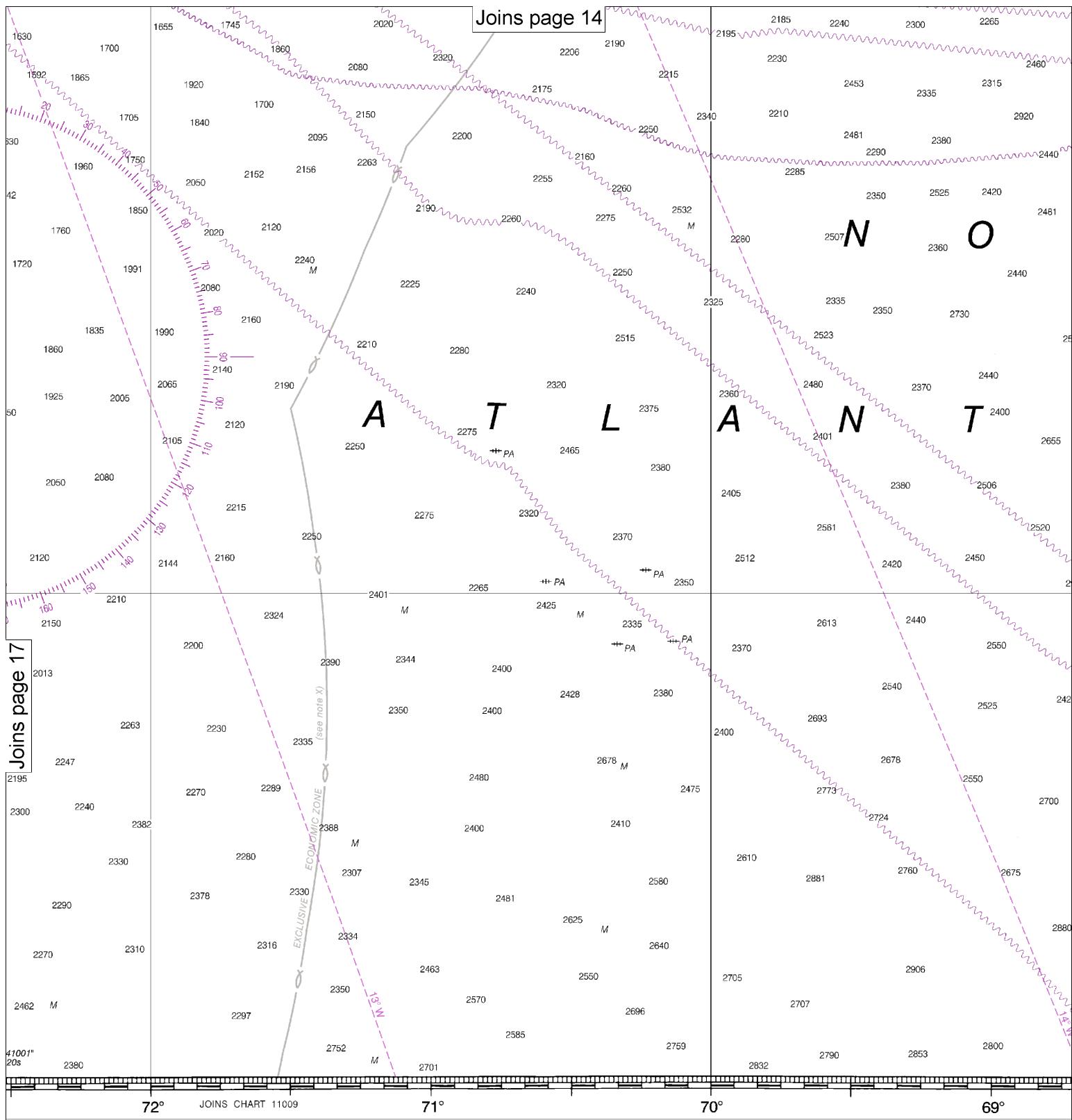


DEPTHS IN FATHOMS

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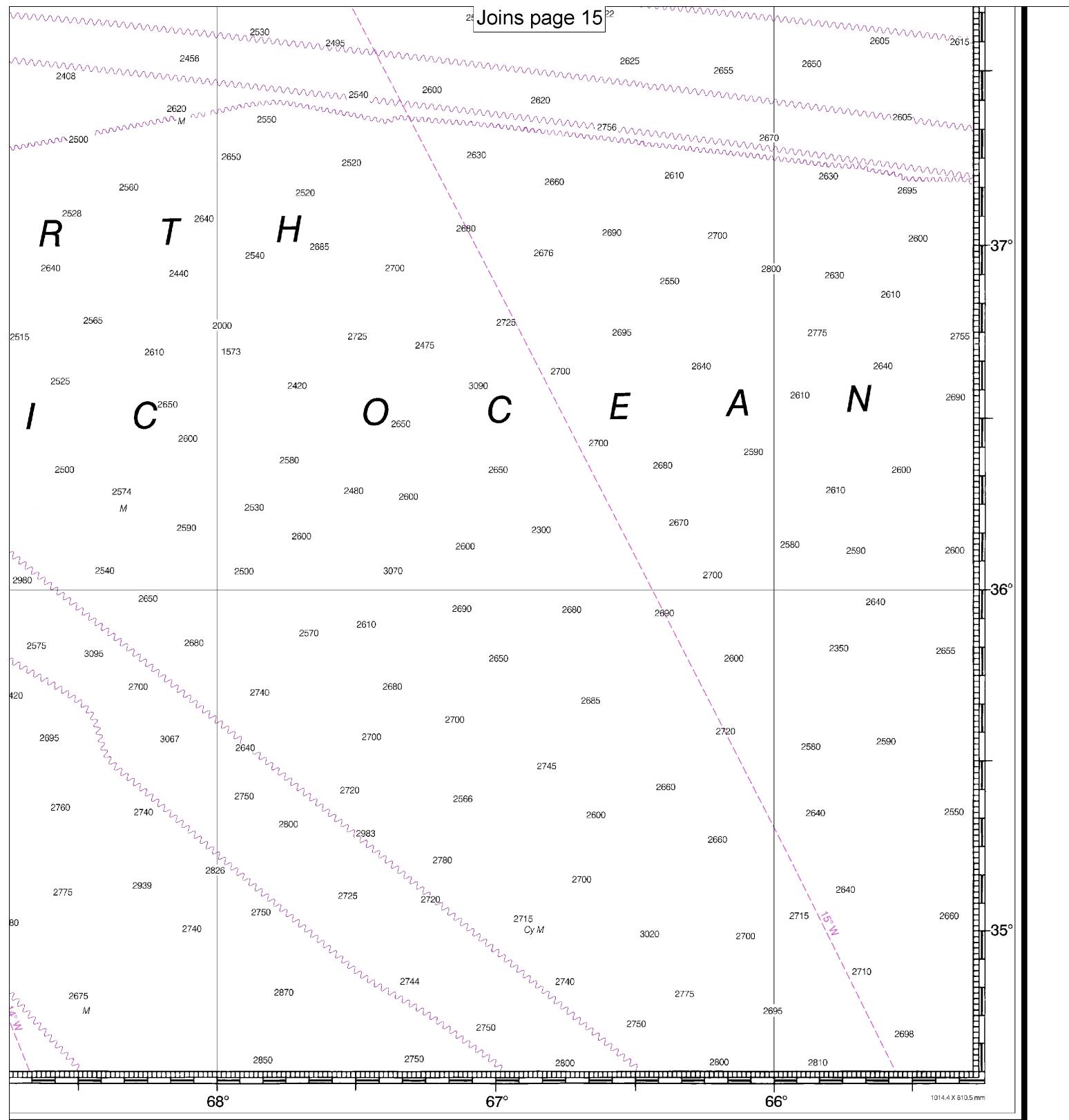
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Cape Sable to Cape Hatteras

SOUNDINGS IN FATHOMS - SCALE 1:1,200,000

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FATHOMS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
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METERS	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17



EMERGENCY INFORMATION

VHF Marine Radio channels for use on the waterways:

Channel 6 – Inter-ship safety communications.

Channel 9 – Communications between boats and ship-to-coast.

Channel 13 – Navigation purposes at bridges, locks, and harbors.

Channel 16 – Emergency, distress and safety calls to Coast Guard and others, and to initiate calls to other

vessels. Contact the other vessel, agree to another channel, and then switch.

Channel 22A – Calls between the Coast Guard and the public. Severe weather warnings, hazards to navigation and safety warnings are broadcast here.

Channels 68, 69, 71, 72 and 78A – Recreational boat channels.

Getting and Giving Help — Signal other boaters using visual distress signals (flares, orange flag, lights, arm signals); whistles; horns; and on your VHF radio. You are required by law to help boaters in trouble. Respond to distress signals, but do not endanger yourself.

Distress Call Procedures

- Make sure radio is on.
- Select Channel 16.
- Press/Hold the transmit button.
- Clearly say: "MAYDAY, MAYDAY, MAYDAY."
- Also give: Vessel Name and/or Description; Position and/or Location; Nature of Emergency; Number of People on Board.
- Release transmit button.
- Wait for 10 seconds — If no response Repeat MAYDAY call.

HAVE ALL PERSONS PUT ON LIFE JACKETS!



NOAA Weather Radio All Hazards (NWR) is a nationwide network of radio stations broadcasting continuous weather information directly from the nearest National Weather Service office. NWR broadcasts official Weather Service warnings, watches, forecasts and other hazard information 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.

<http://www.nws.noaa.gov/nwr/>

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— http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/mcd/updates/LNM_NM.html

Coast Pilot online

— <http://www.nauticalcharts.noaa.gov/nsd/cpdownload.htm>

Tides and Currents

— <http://tidesandcurrents.noaa.gov>

Marine Forecasts

— <http://www.nws.noaa.gov/om/marine/home.htm>

National Data Buoy Center

— <http://www.ndbc.noaa.gov/>

NowCoast web portal for coastal conditions

— <http://www.nowcoast.noaa.gov/>

National Weather Service

— <http://www.weather.gov/>

National Hurricane Center

— <http://www.nhc.noaa.gov/>

Pacific Tsunami Warning Center

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